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FYI, the Regions comments to the RPs at Portland Harbor.

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All -

EPA sent the attached comments on the draft FS report to the LWG today. As noted in the cover letter, EPA considers these comments to be our initial comments on the document. We appreciate the timely review and contributions of the project team to our comments. Although there has been a fair amount of consolidation and editing of some of the individual comments that were provided, we think they set the stage for the much more detailed work to follow. In addition, while it took longer than anticipated to get the comments out, we also think that having the results of Earl's independent model runs significantly bolsters our position on the limitations of AnchorQEA's modeling.

We expect to reconvene the FS team in January to get into the details of the work that lies ahead.

thanks
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